DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	6·5	7 to 7·25	seers per rupee.
Ragi	14·8	13·50 to 14	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 8 seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi, 8 annas; paddy 12 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured in parts of Nelamangala, Anekal, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and Vaisakhi paddy are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Yield 8 to 10 annas in the taluk of Bangalore and 8 to 12 annas in the taluks of Nelamangala and Devanhalli.

10. Prospects of the season fair, but Vaisakhi paddy crop is badly in need of rain in parts of Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox and measles in parts of Hoskote, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks, fever in parts of Devanhalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Rinderpest has broken out in Hedamadu village, Harohalli hobli of the Kankanhalli Taluk. Cattle are healthy in the other taluks. Water, pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing, manuring, sowing and milling are going on.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—

Sugar-cane in Kolar and Malur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar and Malur Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas and 8 to 12 annas, respectively; nat ragi in Bowringpet Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; jola in Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available, but their prices are a
Rain is insufficient. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

t for small-pox in some villages of Kolar, Bowringpet, Chikballapur and Bage-
n the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, and cholera in a few villages of Kolar, Mul-
li Taluks, public health is generally good.

ported to be healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Irrigation ragi in Sira and paddy and sugar-cane in Turuvekere.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Sira, Pavagada, Koratagere and Turuvekere; jola in Maddagiri; Bengal gram in Tiptur and Pavagada; sugar-cane in Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; wheat in Maddagiri and cotton in Pavagada.

Condition of crops.—Good in Maddagiri, Kunigal and Turuvekere; fair in Gubbi, Tiptur and Koratagere. For want of water, wet crops are withering in Tumkur and parts of Sira and have faded in parts of Chiknayakanhalli. In Pavagada crops are withering and have withered for want of adequate supply of water in the irrigation wells.

10. Prospects of the season are on the whole fair. Vysakhi crops are in need of a shower or two of rain. Prices of food grains are almost stationary as in the last week.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Difficulty for water-supply is felt in a few villages of the Sira Taluk and in Pavagada. In the other taluks of the district, water and fodder are available in sufficient quantities. 'Dodda Roga' prevails in a few villages of the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are bieng ploughed in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Mandya, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops sown.—Cholum in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

State of standing crops is reported to be good in all parts of the district except T.-Narsipur, where they are reported to be in need of rain.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Malvalli and Mandya Taluks, mulberry in parts of the Mandya Taluk, paddy in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk. Sugar-cane is being milled in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

Estimated out-turn.—Mulberry in the Mandya Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk and small-pox in parts of the Malvalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" in parts of the Mysore, Gundlupet, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Preliminary agricultural operations are in progress in the taluks of Hassan, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur. In parts of Manjarabad and Channarayapatna Taluks paddy is being sown.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in the taluks of Hassan, Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna; kar paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk and the Alur Sub-Taluk is reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—In Gandasi hobli of Arsikere Taluk, sugar-cane is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for ague fever in parts of the Channaraya-
patna Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Fodder and water are available. "Do
to prevail near Esvarahalli, Belgode hobli of Manjarabad Taluk, and in parts
patna Taluk. "Foot and mouth" disease among cattle is reported to preva
Veterinary Inspector has been directed to issue needful written instructio

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands in some parts of the Shimoga, Honnali, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being ploughed and prepared for the coming cultivation season. The planting of sugar-cane is in progress in Sagar Taluk, nearing completion in Nagar Taluk, and is completed in Honnali Taluk.

Standing crops, i.e., sugar-cane in Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, sugar-cane and kar paddy in Sagar Taluk are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Harvesting of ragi and Bengal gram in Channagiri Taluk is in progress and of paddy in Sorab Taluk is completed.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Rain is very much wanted in Channagiri, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Food stuffs are sufficiently available in all the taluks.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Murrain is prevalent in certain villages of the three hoblis of the Honnali Taluk. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in all the taluks except Sringeri.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane is being planted in parts of Tarikere and Yedahalli.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in the taluks of Chikmagalur and Kadur and kodi paddy in Mudgere are reported to be in good condition. Rain is needed in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Kadur and Chikmagalur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. "Dod Roga" still exists in certain villages of the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* such as paddy, cotton, sugar-cane and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas. Paddy in the Challakere Taluk, yield 4 to 6 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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